

## Locals and Personals.

Mrs. F. H. Rainer and Miss Sydney Rainer were visitors at Troy the first of the week.

Miss Bertha Howell, teacher of the fourth grade in the Elba City school spent the week end with her parents at Ozark.

Don't neglect your eyes. If you have improperly fitted glasses, see Dr. Roth on his visit to Elba next Monday.

Miss Myrt Kendrick of Elba, who has been visiting relatives in Elba, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith, Mrs. W. C. Braswell and Mrs. L. P. Mullins were visitors at Troy Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Perdue spent several days last week in Birmingham attending the State Fair, and also visiting their son, Mr. Marvin Perdue.

### MRS. ARMOR ENTERTAINS FIVE HUNDRED CLUB.

Mrs. J. H. Armor entertained the Five Hundred Club at her home Friday morning from nine to eleven o'clock. Only members of the club were guests on this occasion. After the games the hostess served delicious salad and ice courses.

Mrs. Dessie Hutchison of Troy, spent Sunday in Elba the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Vaughn.

We will exchange a 24 lb sack of flour for a bushel of shelled corn. Phone 37. SMITH BROTHERS.

Mrs. Roy Hutchison and little daughter, Katherine Sue, have returned to their home in Elba after a several weeks stay in Florida with Mrs. Hutchison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patrick.

### ELBA MUSIC CLUB HAS OPENING MEETING.

The Elba Music Study Club had a very interesting meeting with Mrs. J. B. Amos as hostess Thursday afternoon. The vocal quartet—Mrs. W. C. Braswell, Misses Sallie Page, Gussie Rainer and Eunora Farris. Piano Solo—Miss Ida Mae Lowery.

A Poem—Miss Mary Alice Talbot.

The Music Club begins the new club year with splendid prospects for a successful year, a larger number of active members have been enrolled than any previous year.

Misses Josephine and Mozelle Betts, of Opelika, students at the Troy Normal, spent the week end with Miss Mary Ella Bozeman.

Dr. Roth makes regular visits to this section, therefore you make no mistake by consulting him. All work absolutely guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Mr. Tommie Farris, of Montgomery, has been spending a few days with relatives and friends at Elba.

Mr. Bartow Bullard, who has been taking a course in Pharmacy at Macon, Ga., has returned to Elba.

We have anything you want in the Trunk, Suit Case and Hand Bag line. These goods are new, bought right and much cheaper in price than they have been in sometime. Vaughn & Kendrick.

LOST—Wednesday night, October 14th, on Elba-Op road, Firestone Tire, 30x3 1/2, and demountable rim. Liberal reward for return to D. C. Barnard, Elba, Ala.

### WEBB—HOPKINS.

Brunswick was pleasantly surprised yesterday by the announcement of the wedding of Miss Margaret Emerson Webb, of Whigham, to Mr. Thomas Spaulding Hopkins, of this city. The wedding which was to have taken place next month was hastened on account of a change in the business plans of the groom.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. James Webb in the presence of the family and a few intimate friends the ceremony was performed by Rev. N. G. Christopher, of the Baptist church of Whigham.

The bride wore a becoming going-away gown of blue cloth with tan accessories, and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and orange blossoms.

Of many talents, great personal charm, and a winning disposition, Mrs. Hopkins is one of Brunswick's most popular and progressive young men and has hundreds of friends in this city and throughout the state.

The young couple came immediately to Brunswick, after the ceremony and will leave for Jacksonville today. From there they will make a tour of the east coast in a private yacht.

The above announcement from the Brunswick, (Ga.) News will be read with interest by many Elbians. Mrs. Hopkins often visited here as the guest of Mrs. F. H. Murphree, and during these visits made many friends who will be interested in her marriage.

Don't get us when you are ready for your fall trade. We have a big complete stock and our prices are right. Vaughn & Kendrick.

### DR. ROTH RETURNING.

Dr. Jos. Roth, of Montgomery, Eye-sight specialist will be at Opp, next Sunday, and at Elba and New Brockton Monday. See his ad in this issue.

### WOMAN ELECTED MAYOR OF DAYTONA.

Daytona, Fla., Oct. 9.—Dr. Jessie M. Rogers was today named by her fellow city commissioners as mayor of Daytona, the first woman to ever hold the office. Aside from one or two very small municipalities she is the first of her sex to hold that office in the state it is understood. Mrs. Rogers was elected to the city commission several months ago when this city adopted the commission-city manager form of government.

### —C. R. TALBOT—

Justice of the Peace—Beat 6. ELBA ALABAMA. Collections given prompt attention.

## Trunks, Suit Cases and Hand Bags -----

WE HAVE A BIG LINE OF TRUNKS IN ALL GRADES. ALSO A BIG ASSORTMENT OF SUIT CASES AND HAND BAGS. THESE GOODS ARE MUCH CHEAPER THAN THEY HAVE BEEN IN SOME TIME. OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT, AND WE INVITE YOU TO LOOK OVER THESE LINES, BEFORE BUYING.

## Mens, Boys & Childrens Clothing and Pants

DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR LINES IN CLOTHING. WE HAVE WHAT YOU WANT, AND OUR GOODS AND PRICES ARE RIGHT. WE BOUGHT EXTRA HEAVY IN BOY SUITS AND CAN SAVE YOU MONEY. BE SURE YOU SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY CLOTHING OF ANY KIND.

DON'T FORGET THAT OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE WITH A FULL ASSORTMENT OF EVERYTHING. WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY BEFORE YOU BUY YOUR FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

## Vaughn & Kendrick

SAME OLD STAND SOUTH SIDE SQUARE ELBA, ALABAMA

### SELMA CITIZEN FALLS TO DEATH FROM TRAIN.

Selma, Ala., Oct. 8.—H. E. Stack, aged about 40, was instantly killed early this morning at Burnsville when he fell beneath the wheels of Southern train No. 27, on which he was returning home from Birmingham. The mangled body was brought to Selma on the train, which arrived a few minutes later.

According to the best information obtainable, Mr. Stack was passing from one coach to another when he stepped aside to allow the newsboy to pass him, and lost his footing, falling through to the ground as the train was getting under way.

Mr. Stack was a prominent citizen of Selma and the news of his tragic death came as a terrible shock to his friends here. He leaves a widow and one son.

The funeral will be held at the home of the deceased, and the body will be buried in the local cemetery.

### ONE ADVANTAGE.

Judge. "Which is the way to Ottawa, my lad?" "I—I don't know." "Which is the way to Topelka, then?" "I—I don't know." "Well, can you tell me how to get back to Witchita, then?" "I—I don't know."

### J. D. COVINGTON

All Kinds of Fraternal Insurance. Life, Health and Accident.

Waive notes in 10c books at Clipper office.

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EYESIGHT IS MAN'S MOST PRECIOUS GIFT AND SHOULD NOT BE NEGLECTED OR ABUSED. HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE SUFFER FROM EYE TROUBLES UNNECESSARILY. IF YOU HAVE HEADACHES, DIZZINESS, OR IF LETTERS BLUR AND RUN TOGETHER AT NIGHT WHILE READING, YOU NEED GLASSES. DON'T PUT THE MATTER OFF TOO LONG! DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS. AFTER YOUR EYESIGHT IS GONE IT WILL BE TOO LATE. START NOW WHILE YOUR TROUBLES CAN BE EASILY AND SAFELY ADJUSTED.

## Consult Dr. Joseph Roth

MONTGOMERY'S EYESIGHT SPECIALIST

At Opp, Sunday, October 15. . . . 11 a. m. to 5 p. m.

At Elba, Monday, October 16. . . . 10 a. m. to 7 p. m.

New Brockton, Monday, Oct. 16. . . . 7 a. m. to 9 a. m.

DR. ROTH'S YEARS OF EXPERIENCE AND THE HUNDREDS OF SATISFIED CUSTOMERS IN COFFEE AND OTHER COUNTIES IS PROOF OF HIS ABILITY TO PROPERLY CORRECT EYESIGHT TROUBLES. ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR HE KNOWS.

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Examinations Free. Glasses Fitted as low as \$3.00

FOR Advertising That Pays The Elba Clipper

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## New Brockton Visited By Destructive Blaze On Last Friday Night

The Town of New Brockton was visited by a bad fire on last Friday night about eleven o'clock, when two business houses were destroyed. For a time the main section of the business houses of the town was threatened, and only through the heroic efforts of the citizens were the flames confined to the two stores.

The stores destroyed were those of W. C. Jones, general mercantile business, and John McCollough, grocery business. Mr. Jones' loss is said to have been about six or seven thousand dollars, with about half that amount of insurance. Mr. McCollough's loss will not be so great, and we are informed that he also carried some insurance.

The fire when discovered was burning in the rear of the Jones store. The cause of the blaze was not learned. Before assistance could reach the scene the fire had gained such headway that it could not be extinguished until the two stores were destroyed. The walls of buildings adjoining the burned stores were badly damaged, but all stocks of merchandise were removed. The goods removed were badly damaged in handling, so we were informed, but were not damaged by the fire.

### Dothan Making Plans For Her Greatest Fair

Bigger, better and finer than ever is the slogan adopted by the management of the Southeast Alabama Fair association for this year and every effort is being put forth to live up to and realize this purpose.

The management of the big fair will show some improvement over previous years and offer the public of his section something new and something interesting to see this year.

The horse racing card is a big one, as usual, but it is stated that some new horses will be here this year and some local track records may be broken by the fast horses that are expected to arrive here in numbers on opening day, October 30.

The midway attractions for this year are said to be far more numerous than those of last year and the managers promise more and better shows and more and bigger riding devices.

The free acts this year will offer fair patrons some thrilling plenty of amusement and a great deal of pleasure. Some of the biggest and best acts ever shown in this section will be seen at this year's fair at least two of which have never shown in the south until this year. The free acts will be shown in front of the grandstand every afternoon and night.

A feature of the Fair this year is the showing of the "Spirit of No Man's Land" which is said to be one of the largest and most spectacular pyrotechnic displays ever shown. A great burst of rockets, shells and fireworks ascending into the heavens in a grand burst of color. Fireworks will be shown every night at 8 p. m.

If plans now being made move some new and novel exhibits will be shown here this year. There is an air of secrecy about the official headquarters and the inquiring report was told to say "Come and see for yourself that our boast of a bigger and better fair will be carried out within the grounds as well as in the advertising."

The most difficult thing in life is to know yourself.

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## With Elba Churches

BAPTIST CHURCH Preaching 11:00, a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Chas. H. Gernon, Pastor.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Grover C. Bowden, Supt.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Meeting now at School House Auditorium. Sunday School and communion service every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

Come and be with us. Every member not only a member but a worker. We want you. We need you. Congregational singing. Come and bring your children with you. You can help us, we can help you.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. J. F. Phary, Pastor. Preaching every fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. F. A. Symonds, supt.

You are cordially invited to attend all services.

METHODIST CHURCH Preaching at 11:00, A. M. and 7:30, P. M. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Chas. L. Rowe, Supt. Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. J. Leslie Mixson, pres.

Preaching Sunday at 11 a. m. by the pastor.

Dev. C. P. Martin, pastor of the Elba circuit will preach at 7:30 p. m.

AM—COURSON.—An interesting wedding of last week, and one which was quite a surprise to Elba people was that of Miss Lois Ham to Mr. Clyde Courson, which occurred at Ozark. Miss Ham was born and reared at Elba and was one of the most popular members of the younger set. Her many friends will be interested in her marriage.

The wedding ceremony of the wedding was taken from the Andalusia Star.

On Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock in Ozark, Miss Lois Ham became the bride of Mr. Clyde Courson, the ceremony taking place at the Methodist parsonage in the presence of only immediate friends.

Miss Ham is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ham, formerly of Elba, Ala. but now of South Florida. She is a young woman of charming personality. She has often visited Andalusia and her many friends are glad to know that she will make Andalusia her home in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Courson's parents reside in River Falls but for some number of years he has made Andalusia his home, being connected with the Gulf Refining Co. He is a young man of sterling character.

Immediately following the taking of the nuptial vows, the young couple left for points in Georgia. On their return they will be at home to their friends in their new home on River Falls street.

See us for your fall and winter goods. We will save you money and give you the merchandise you want if you will give us a trial. Vaughn & Kendrick.

The first bid for the bust of ex-Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany taken off the steamer Leviathan, was 50 cents.

MISS EDITH HARRINGTON

Seven Shape Singing Here Fifth Sunday

The annual Seven Shape Singing will be held at Elba in the court house on the fifth Sunday in October. It is expected that singers from all sections of the county will be present. This singing, and lovers of good music are looking forward to the day.

Everybody is invited to come and bring a basket, and your "Marching to Zion" song book.

Mrs. J. W. Kendrick, Misses Gertha Howell, Mary Bozeman and Annie Laurie Bozeman and Fred Kendrick and Diamond Pierson were visitors at Troy Sunday.

Miss Edith Harrington of Newton, Mass., has won fourth prize at the prettiest motorist in the New England states.

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## Methodists Will Observe "Home Coming" Day Sunday, November 5th.

Elba Methodists will observe "Home Coming Day" on the first Sunday in November, (November 5th). This announcement was made after a conference of the board of Stewards and the pastor on last Sunday afternoon, when the celebration was finally decided upon.

It is planned to make the day one of real pleasure and benefit for every member of the Church and all visitors on the occasion. The invitation to attend the "home coming" is especially extended to former members, and Methodists whose membership at any time has been in the Church, and the present membership of the Church will of course be expected to be present.

While no definite program has yet been arranged, it is known that Rev. O. S. Welch, of Prattville, will preach the sermon at the service Sunday morning. Mr. Welch is one of the leading ministers of the Alabama Conference, and his sermon alone will well worth the attendance. It is also expected that some of the former pastors will be present on the occasion, and deliver messages to the congregation.

Lunch will be served at the Church at the noon hour. It is planned to make the day a most enjoyable one for those who attend. Further and more details of the plans will be made as soon as practicable.

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 17.—The Army dirigible C-2 which recently completed a trans-continental flight and had been taken from its base at Brooks Field, preparatory to its return to Washington, was burned early this morning while being taken from its base at Brooks Field, preparatory to its return to Washington.

The dirigible was being taken from its base at Brooks Field, preparatory to its return to Washington. Several of the crew were hurt, one seriously.

The dirigible caught on the frame-work of the hangar as it was being taken out. The bag split and the gas ignited. In the car of the dirigible in the time were members of the crew and several passengers. They escaped death but first reports said several were burned seriously and one's arm was broken. The big dirigible was destroyed by the flames.

Just how the accident occurred has not been learned at an early hour. The big ship was being taken out of the hangar. The wind caught it and threw it up against one of the big doors at the entrance.

Passengers heard the hissing of the gas and a few moments later the gas was being taken out. The bag split and the gas ignited. In the car of the dirigible in the time were members of the crew and several passengers. They escaped death but first reports said several were burned seriously and one's arm was broken. The big dirigible was destroyed by the flames.

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## Elba Masons Purchase Nice Building Lot; Temple May Be Built Soon.

Elba Masons a few days ago closed a deal for the purchase of the lot on the Northeast corner of Court Square, opposite Elba Bank & Trust Company, on which a Masonic Temple will be erected at a later date.

Although plans have been on foot for several months past for the new building, no definite announcement can be made at this time as to when the building will be erected.

The lot selected is one of the most desirable in the town and a nice new structure, the kind that is contemplated by the Masons, would be a magnificent addition to the town. It is hoped that the plans can be carried out within the near future. It is said that the membership of the Elba Lodge is very enthusiastic over the proposition, and no doubt ways and means will be devised whereby the new building can be erected within the near future.

The services will continue each evening until Sunday. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the evening service Sunday. All are cordially invited to attend the services.

Lumene Boy Killed In Attempt To Board Train

Tusculossa, Ala., Oct. 14.—Thomas A. Sykes of Lumene, Ala., 18 year old, student at the University was fatally killed here last night when he attempted to board a north-bound A. G. S. freight train at the depot here and missed his hold and falling slipping under the train.

His body was cut in two at the waist, his left leg completely severed at the body, left hand mangled and right arm broken in three places.

Sykes and several other University students were attempting to board the moving train to go to Atlanta for the Alabama-Tech football game.

The deceased was a member of the Phi Kappa Phi fraternity and was in his sophomore year. He was the son of E. B. Sykes, tax assessor of Crenshaw county. Remains were sent to Montgomery today where they will be met and taken to Lumene for burial.

We have anything in the clothing line you want. Mens, boys and childrens suits, extra pants for men and boys and anything in the clothing line at right prices. Vaughn & Kendrick.

MR. HARTWELL SPEAKS HERE FRIDAY.

Hon. Harry T. Hartwell, of Mobile, will address the voters of Elba at the Court House on next Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Hartwell will speak in the interest of the Alabama Seaport Amendment, which is to be voted on at the November election. He is a former state Senator and one of the best informed men in the state. He is well versed on the Seaport Amendment subjects and will no doubt give much valuable information to the people in regard to the matter. You should attend the meeting Friday morning.

WILL RE-ORGANIZE PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION.

There will be a meeting at the school auditorium Tuesday, October 24th, at 3:30 p. m. for the purpose of re-organizing the Parent-Teachers Association. All who are interested in the school are urged to attend this meeting.

FREACHING AT NEW HOME FIFTH SUNDAY.

The Clipper is requested to announce that there will be preaching at New Home Church, six miles Southwest of Elba, on the fifth Sunday in October and Saturday before. Elder J. H. Pinckard will do the preaching. The public is invited to attend the services.

BISHOP W. M. BROWN

Bishop William M. Brown of Ohio, who is to be tried by the Episcopal house of bishops on charges of heresy. He holds steadfastly to his beliefs, doubting the existence of Christ, in his latest literary effort, "Communism and Christianity." Bishop Brown has long been known to be somewhat of a radical, but he is a close friend of Eugene V. Debs.

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## Mules! Mules!

We have just received a car load of mules, all broke. Call by and look ours over before you buy.

## Boyd & Murphree

LIVESTOCK, BUGGIES, WAGONS, HARNESS WE BUY PRODUCE.



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You are at liberty to do what you choose with your money—but are you doing what is right?

The wrong thing to do is to carry it about with you, sequester it in some hiding spot, leave it in your safe, or put it in a safe deposit box.

The right thing to do is to put it in this bank, to be used at your convenience, to draw interest if it is a surplus, and to circulate in the market of trade.

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### CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of thanking the good people of this community for their kindness shown toward us during the sickness and death of our dear wife and mother. We also thank Dr. Crook and Miss Emma Harper for their attention for we know they did all that lay in their power. May God bless each and every one.  
H. A. Thomas, and Children.

## CANDLER WAS THREATENED WITH CONFINEMENT IN INSTITUTION FOR INSANE.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 14.—The members of the family of Asa Candler, the Atlanta capitalist, who recently broke his engagement to Mrs. Onezi DeBouchelle, had threatened to have the aged financier confined to an institution for the insane, according to Mrs. DeBouchelle.

That she declared, is the secret whispered to her by Candler, just before they parted the last time, and which he warned her not to repeat.

That is the reason, she said, that the aged man threw up his hands in despair and accepted the command of his family that he abandon his intention of marrying her.

It was learned today that a man, who is believed to be a private detective for the Candlers, was caught trying to rifle the desk of Harry Gambel, Mrs. DeBouchelle's attorney, and was beaten by Harold Moise, an associate of Gambel's, but was not arrested.

It is thought that the man was after the Candler letters.

Renew your subscription.

## Alabamians Pay \$150 For One-Half Of Bee

Amenia, N. D., Oct. 14.—Half interest in Achievement Girl, a queen honey bee of the America Apisaries, has been sold to J. M. Catter and Son, Montgomery, Ala., for \$150, setting a new record for bee values, according to W. A. Crites, manager of the American Bee Farm.

The queen was mailed to Alabama, where she will spend the winter, to be returned to North Dakota next spring. She was a member of the colony which last summer set one of the world's records for honey production, according to Mr. Crites.

### —OVER ALABAMA—

Another Repub. Blessing (?) We are already feeling the effects of the new tariff law. It hits us for \$41.90 a year for the paper on which The Democrat is printed. Southern Democrat, Oconota.

Is This Man for a Senator? When a speaker insists on substituting lungs for logic and perspiration for inspiration, it's time to pass to the next number on the program.—Ashland Progress.

### And Sick Families!

Physical defects never before known to the general public will be discovered Monday when Judge Leigh qualifies the jurors for this term of court.—Brewton Standard.

Thrifty Dothanites. A Dothan family bought a photograph with a twenty-year guarantee and the neighbors say they seem to be trying to wear it out before the twenty years are up so's to get a new one.—Bachelor, in Dothan Eagle.

### A Question of Time.

A fair trial it will prove successful. And public sentiment is becoming such that the trial soon will be given, and we will have strict law enforcement.—Gadsden Evening Journal.

### Everybody Vote "Yes!"

Certain towns in the state are asking the voters for the privilege of taxing themselves an additional amount above the constitutional limit, for needed improvements such as good water, sewerage and schools. This tax only applies to the inhabitants of these cities, and if they want to be taxed we are perfectly willing for them to do so.—Centerville Press.

### 100-Day-Old Pig Weighs 136 Pounds.

Floyd Coggin no doubt holds the record for the best pig ever raised in Clay County. The pig was 100 days old on last Monday and tipped the beam at 136 pounds gross. At 53 days old the pig weighed 55 pounds. Floyd and his mother or have given the little porker the best of attention since it was given to them by Mayoy Haley. Should the pig continue to gain in weight in the future as in the past, Floyd can easily boast of the heaviest young hog in all this section.—Cleveland News.

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County. In Circuit Court In Equity at Elba, Alabama.

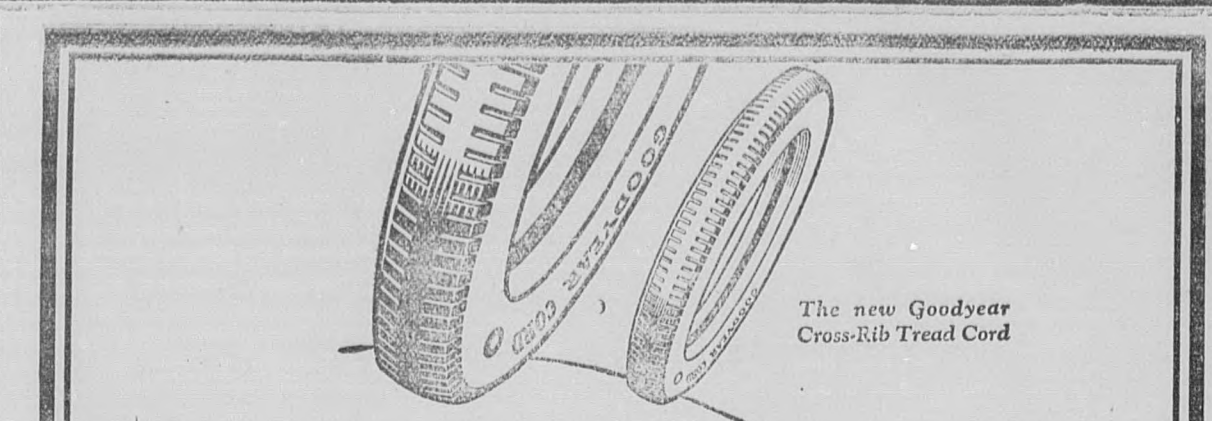
Mrs. Rebecca House, Complainant, vs.

Eugene House, Respondent.

In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit of the Complainant's Solicitor, that the Defendant is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years, it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Elba Clipper, a newspaper in Elba, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, and that a copy of this order be pasted at the court house door for 30 days, requiring him, the said Eugene House, to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 16th day of November, 1925, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Elba, Ala., this 16th day of October, 1925.

S. H. BROCK, Register.



## A Real Cord Tire for Small Cars at a Popular Price

The new Goodyear Cross-Rib Tread Cord in the 30 x 3 1/2 inch clincher type is a tire that the small car owner will warmly welcome.

It gives him, at a price lower than the net price he is asked to pay for many "long discount" tires, every advantage of quality cord tire performance, for it is a quality tire through and through.

It is made of high-grade long-staple cotton; it embodies the reliable Goodyear quality of materials; its clean-cut tread engages the road like a cogwheel.

The scientific distribution of rubber in this tread—the wide center rib and the semi-flat contour—gives a thick, broad surface that is exceedingly slow to wear.

The tough tread stock in this tire is carried down the side-walls clear to the bead, making it rut-proof to an extraordinary degree.

In every particular it is a representative Goodyear product, built to safeguard the world-wide Goodyear reputation.

Despite its high quality, and the expertness of its construction, it sells at a price as low or lower than that of tires which lack its important features.

The 30 x 3 1/2 inch Cross-Rib Cord clincher.....\$12.50

This price includes manufacturer's retail tax

Goodyear Cross-Rib Tread Cord Tires are also made in 6, 7 and 8 inch sizes for trucks

FOR SALE BY

Edwards-Rainer Hardware Company

**GOODYEAR**

### REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County. In Circuit Court In Equity at Elba, Alabama.

Mrs. Minnie Wilkerson, Lella Smith.

By virtue of a decree rendered at the March Term, 1920, of the Circuit Court in Equity at Elba, Ala., Coffee County, in said cause, I shall proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Court house door in Coffee County in the town of Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale on Saturday the 14th day of October, 1925, the following described property, to-wit:

All that portion of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 16, which lies North and East of the SW Alabama Railway, (now A. C. L.) and all that portion of the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 21, which lies North and East of the Ala. Railway (now A. C. L.) All in Township 5, North, Range 20, East, containing 100 acres more or less.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of division, etc.

This 18th day of Sept., 1925.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

### KILLS BROTHER AFTER BEING SHOT IN FACE.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 12.—Bob Hamilton was killed today near Pikeville, Tenn., by his brother, Jim Hamilton, after he had shot the latter in the face and hand, as the result of what was said to be a family row. Jim Hamilton was taken to Pikeville, his wounds dressed and then allowed to return to his home. Few details of the affray could be obtained but it is reported that one of the brothers was beating his wife when the other intervened.

### POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

From the Chicago News.

You can't travel long on a lame excuse.

All the world loves to laugh with a laugher.

Inquisitive people acquire a

lot of information that isn't so.

Only those who have no worries can afford to look worried.

Life is short, but many people manage to out-live their usefulness.

It is wise of a man to keep the man down who is able to keep up appearances.

A woman always has a tender feeling for a man who pays her a compliment.

The length of life depends upon how much of the world

it takes into its heart.

You may induce people to listen to your grievances—but

what do they care?

A letter should bear the stamp of approval—also a 2-cent stamp if it is to go by mail.

The earthly tax dodger is apt to find it difficult to prove his

title to a mansion in the skies.

Hope is an excellent thing to have, but it is one of the things a pawnbroker will not advance

anywhere.

## Farmers and Merchants National Bank TROY, ALABAMA.

CONDENSED FROM THE REPORT TO THE COMPTROLLER AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, SEPTEMBER 15TH, 1925.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$966,564.35
Overdrafts.....	326.00
U. S. Bonds.....	128,600.00
Bonds and Securities.....	128,525.55
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	15,000.00
CASH.....	
In Vault and Due from Banks and U. S. Treas.....	\$318,959.60
U. S. Liberty Loan and Victory Bonds.....	276,406.30
	590,365.90
	\$1,829,417.36
Liabilities	
Capital Stock.....	\$150,000.00
Surplus.....	150,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	69,068.65
Circulation.....	128,600.00
Dividends Unpaid.....	12,036.00
DEPOSITS.....	1,319,713.21
Re-Discounts.....	None
Bills Payable.....	None
	\$1,829,417.36

The greatest builders in the world are those who build character. Men have built houses, roads and temples that have lasted for generations, empires that lasted for centuries, but those who build character fabricate something that will last to eternity.

Build into your character the foundation of industry, efficiency and economy. With these success is certain. Wholehearted industry brings out the best that is in us and drives out evil.

## Final Appeal Made For Winter Legumes

For the protection of land during the winter, to add nitrogen and organic matter in the spring, and to produce hay for future use, a final appeal to the farmers of Alabama to sow hairy vetch seed, alone or mixed with oats, is made by F. S. Boyd, agronomist for the Extension Service.

During the last several weeks Mr. Boyd, together with the county agents and other members of the Extension Service, has devoted much time to winter legumes, of which hairy vetch is one of the very best.

It succeeds in any section of Alabama and may be sowed any time in October in any part of the State with a reasonable

## assurance of success.

Later sowing, however, is not as safe as early sowing. Mr. Boyd points out that hairy vetch and oats grow well together. The mixture should be composed of 20 pounds of hairy vetch seed and 6 pecks of oats to the acre. For the Tennessee Valley Section of the State winter turn oats are safer but for any point south of Chattanooga either the Red Rustproof or Fulghum variety is recommended.

For satisfactory results hairy vetch must be inoculated. When well started hairy vetch will stand zero weather and is therefore, an exceedingly popular and profitable winter legume.

Just received a big shipment of HEADLIGHT OVERALLS, all sizes at right prices. Vaughn & Kendrick.

A million men have turned to One Eleven Cigarettes—a firm verdict for superior quality.



15 for 10c.

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The American Tobacco Co.

## DOGWOOD Wanted

### SPECIFICATIONS:

Timber must be 4 1-2 inches at small end; 2 1-2 inches white sap wood. Length 18 inches and 30 inches, and any length above 30 inches. Where there are knots on poles, must be 16 inches between knots.

WILL PAY 30 CENTS PER HUNDRED POUNDS ON MILL YARD.

W. A. Capshaw

Opposite Depot.

Elba, Alabama.

## BAPTISTS REPORT \$35,000,000 CASH

CAMPAIGN HAS MADE POSSIBLE VAST ENLARGEMENT OF EVERY PHASE OF CHURCH WORK

### GAIN 500,000 NEW MEMBERS

Effort Will Be Made to Enlist These and All Other Baptists in Share in Forward Movement During November

Total cash collections on the Baptist 75 Million Campaign up to May 1, 1925, had reached the sum of \$35,000,000, according to the general Campaign headquarters. This represents an advance of nearly \$20,000,000 over what Southern Baptists did for their general missionary, educational

and benevolent work for the three years preceding the Campaign. The contribution of larger gifts to religious work has been accompanied by larger spiritual results in the local churches. It is pointed out that in three years of the Campaign, more than 1,000,000 new converts during the three years before, gained 3,000 new Sunday schools and 400,000 new pupils, enhanced the value of their local church property by \$33,000,000, enlarged their contributions to local causes by \$2,230,000, and increased their contributions to all causes by \$43,480,490.

### Baptist Institutions Grow

Some other phases of denominational progress made possible by the Campaign include increasing the number of Baptist hospitals in the South from 12 to 15, with three others under construction and four more definitely planned; strengthening of 17 Baptist orphanages and the establishment of two new ones, lifting \$2,000,000 indebtedness on 119 Baptist schools, colleges and seminaries, completion and projection of permanent improvements there to the sum of \$4,000,000, and the addition of substantial sums to the endowment funds. Over 2,500 ministerial students enrolled at Southern Baptist schools.

### Church Loan Fund Raised

Among the outstanding accomplishments in the work of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist churches is building new houses of worship, the completion of the million-dollar Church Building Fund, strengthening the work among the foreign and indigenous peoples of the world, and the raising of \$1,455,000 for the period of the year 1925-1926. The Board has 2,276 Sunday schools and 759 churches organized, and 1,109 houses of worship built or repaired.

On the foreign fields the equipment for mission work has been practically doubled, more than 250 new foreign missionaries have been sent out, more than 400 new native workers have been employed, and the Board has entered the new fields of Spain, Rumania, Hungary, Roumania, Southern Russia, Palestine and Siberia. The Board reports for the period of the year 1925-1926, 21,772 baptisms, 21,772 new Sunday schools, gain of 17,272 pupils, native contributions of \$1,092,294.85, and \$2,242 treatment administered by medical missionaries.

Another result of the Campaign is that the Relief and Annuity Board, which is seeking to care for the aged dependent ministers and their families, has been enabled to double the number of such persons helped and the amount that is given these beneficiaries. Last year the Board was able to dispense \$125,846 among needy ministers. It has invested assets of \$1,149,093.

Receive 500,000 New Members More than 500,000 new members have been received into the local Baptist churches of the South since the Campaign began, and in the hope of enlisting all these in the Campaign, as well as reaching the older members of the churches who have not shared in the forward movement, the month of November 5, 1925, has been designated as Re-enforcement Month by the Campaign. It is planned that every Baptist church in the South will call upon all its members who are not already participating in the Campaign and secure subscriptions from them covering the two remaining years of the movement, and cash offerings to the Campaign from all members. Dr. L. R. Scarborough, general director of the original Campaign, has been elected to serve in that capacity for the Re-enforcement program, although the details are being worked out by the various state boards under the leadership of the secretaries of the state mission boards. It is hoped to secure several million dollars in additional cash as well by December 1.



## Comparison Will Emphasize Its Value

The Studebaker Big-Six Sedan delivers everything you can ask of a motor car.

If you pay more than the Big-Six price, you may buy more weight, but it is impossible to get finer materials or better craftsmanship than are used by Studebaker.

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Get behind the wheel yourself. Test its performance, its comfort. Check its appearance with any car at any price. And don't overlook this point: Studebaker has more than 3,000 branches and dealers throughout the country who are always ready to render efficient service.

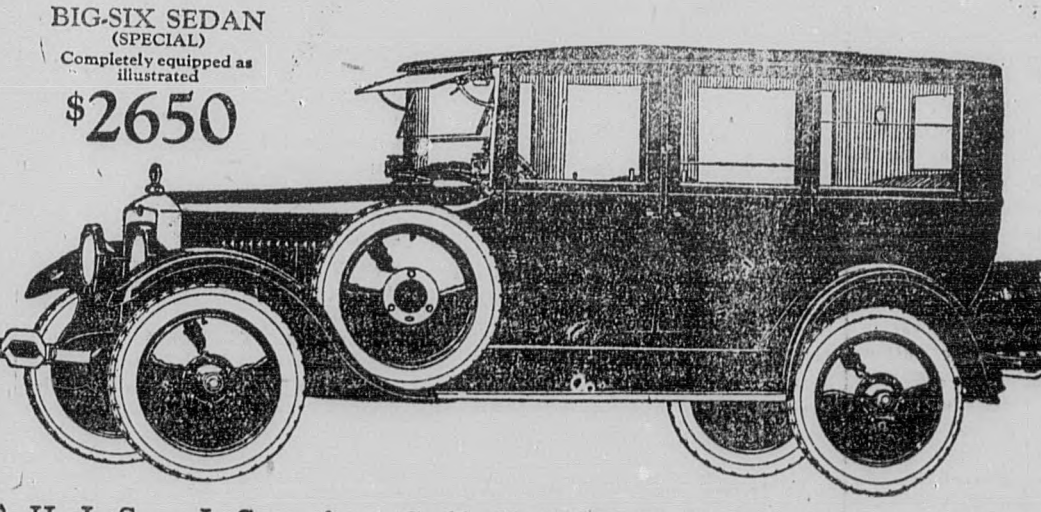
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Touring.....\$1,175	Touring.....\$1,175	Touring.....\$1,600	Touring.....\$1,600
Roadster.....975	Roadster (2-Pass.).....1,250	Roadster (4-Pass.).....1,750	Roadster (4-Pass.).....1,750
Coupe.....1,225	Coupe (4-Pass.).....1,275	Coupe (4-Pass.).....1,775	Coupe (4-Pass.).....1,775
Sedan.....1,550	Sedan.....1,550	Sedan (Special).....2,000	Sedan (Special).....2,000

Cord Tires Standard Equipment

## ELLIS-JOHN SON COMPANY



THIS IS A STUDEBAKER YEAR

## Body Of Florence Man Plane Forced To Land; Held For Robbery, Recovered From River Girl Stunt Flyer Killed Attempts To Take Life

New Orleans, Oct. 13.—The body of Clint H. Hood, former body of Florence, Ala., was found by the police in the Mississippi River here Friday, about 10 miles from the city, and a wound in the forehead, apparently caused by a club. He had lived here some time and was about 50 years old. He was a bathhouse attendant here.

A note found on the body and purporting to be signed by the dead man, asked that L. C. Hood, of Florence, described as a brother, and Miss Mary Hood, 38 Edison Place, Asheville, N. C., be notified, and stated that "they will understand why."

The police are puzzled over the discrepancy between a note indicating suicide and the finding of a body tied, hand and foot, as if by others and with a wound which they do not believe was self-inflicted.

### MAN WHO CAUSED MIS- TRIAL FALLS INTO HANDS OF LAW.

Greenville, Ala., Oct. 16.—Columbus J. McGough, a juror in the recent trial of Jake Crenshaw a negro for the murder of Mrs. Foster Gafford, is under bond here on a triple charge of living in adultery with a negro woman, carrying a concealed weapon and resisting an officer. McGough was one of the two men in the jury who stood out for life sentence when the mistrial was declared Friday.

McGough's arrest occurred Saturday night. When Sheriff J. C. Murphy attempted to take him on the adultery charge McGough is said to have drawn a revolver and to have refused to go. He was finally persuaded to put up his gun.

Cleveland, Tenn., Oct. 13.—Dangling in mid-air, unable to climb back to the airplane and afraid to trust to a drop into a lake below, Miss Eva Moss, Chattanooga stunt flyer, this afternoon was fatally crushed when the aviator was forced to descend.

Poing the fact that the day was Friday and the date the thirteenth, Miss Moss went up for an exhibition flight, and had clambered out into the wings of the plane, then let herself down the 25-foot rope ladder, where she was suspended in mid-air by her teeth.

When the time came for the young woman to climb back to the airplane, either by reason of exhaustion or through becoming entangled in the rope of the ladder, she was unable to do so. The pilot, seeing her predicament, flew out over a lake and circled about as low as possible, at the same time calling and signalling for her to jump into the water.

### BAD MAN DIES AFTER HE DRINKS POISON LIQUOR.

Copperhill, Tenn., Oct. 13.—George Hood, telegrapher who has twice served as sheriff of Polk county, and also served as a member of the county court, and who was proprietor of the Colonial hotel and a man of affairs, was buried here today as a victim of poison liquor.

Hundreds paid their last respects to the deceased. Hood was known by all as a good bad man. He had killed three men in open battle, and each time was badly wounded himself. Once he killed a chief of police, who had shot him three times, with the butt of his pistol.

### —C. R. TALBOT—

Justice of the Peace—Beat 6. ELBA ALABAMA. Collections given prompt attention.

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## A PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, The Legislature of Alabama, at a special session held in 1921, has ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which is herein set forth, to be held at the general election in November, 1922, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment, is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor; NOW THEREFORE, I, THOS. E. KILBY, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, and do proclaim that at the general election in November, 1922, an election will be held for the vote of qualified electors of the State of Alabama, in the manner, form and places required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz: (S. 21—Twenty No. 1)

AN ACT To propose an amendment to Section 93 of the Constitution of the State of Alabama, and to order an election by the qualified electors of the State upon such proposed amendment, which election shall be held at the general election next succeeding the present extra session of the Legislature at which this amendment is proposed. The proposed amendment is as follows, viz: "Section 93. The State shall not engage in works of internal improvement, nor lend money or its credit in aid of such, except as may be authorized by the Constitution of Alabama or amendments thereto; nor shall the State be interested in any private or corporate enterprise, or in any association, or corporation, except as may be expressly authorized by the Constitution of Alabama or amendments thereto; but when authorized by laws passed by the Legislature the State may appropriate funds to be applied to the construction, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways, and bridges in the State; and when authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State may, at a cost of not exceeding ten million dollars, engage in the work of internal improvement, of promoting, developing, constructing, maintaining, and operating all harbors or seaports within the State or its jurisdiction, provided that such work or improvement shall always be and remain under the management and control of the State, through its State Harbor Commission, or other governing agency. The adoption of this amendment shall not affect in any manner any other amendment to the Constitution of Alabama which may be adopted pursuant to any act or resolution of this session of the Legislature."

Section 2. Notice of the election hereby ordered together with the amendment hereby proposed shall be given by a proclamation of the Governor, which shall be published in one newspaper once a week in each county in the State, for at least eight successive weeks next preceding the day hereby appointed for such election.

Section 3. The election hereby ordered to be held as herein provided, the qualified electors shall vote on said proposed amendment, and on the official ballot printed for such election there shall be printed the following, viz: "Shall the following be adopted as Section 93 of the Constitution of Alabama? The State shall not engage in works of internal improvement, nor lend money or its credit in aid of such except as may be authorized by the Constitution of Alabama or amendments thereto; but when authorized by laws passed by the Legislature the State may appropriate funds to be applied to the construction, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways, and bridges in the State; and when authorized by appropriate laws passed by the Legislature, the State may, at a cost of not exceeding ten million dollars, engage in the work of internal improvement, of promoting, developing, constructing, maintaining, and operating all harbors or seaports within the State or its jurisdiction, provided that such work or improvement shall always be and remain under the management and control of the State, through its State Harbor Commission, or other governing agency. The adoption of this amendment shall not affect in any manner any other amendment to the Constitution of Alabama which may be adopted pursuant to any act or resolution of this session of the Legislature."

Section 4. The choice of the elector shall be indicated by a cross mark made by him or under his direction, opposite the word expressing his desire.

Section 5. The votes cast at such election shall be canvassed, tabulated, and returned to the Secretary of State, and counted in the same manner as elections for Representatives to the Legislature; and if it shall thereupon appear that a majority of the qualified electors who voted at such election upon the proposed amendment voted in favor of the same, such amendment shall be valid to all intents and purposes as a part of the Constitution of the State of Alabama. The result of such election shall be made known by a proclamation of the Governor.

Approved October 22, 1921. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this 22nd day of August, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-one. THOS. E. KILBY, Governor.

## Commission Sets Out Rules and Regulations Governing Use of Roads

Rules and regulations governing the use of state highways were adopted at the concluding session of the State Highway Commission Wednesday morning. The term "state highway" as used in the regulations includes any road built or under construction by the state, or under state maintenance.

The regulations prohibit the use of any vehicle having rough or sharpened wheels, excepting in the case of "rough" rubber tires, and excepting vehicles and implements used in constructing the state highways. Tractors provided with wheels may not be used unless blocks are provided to give a smooth surface to the wheels and prevent injury to the roads.

Use of chains is not permitted on any motor vehicle, the gross weight of which exceeds 5,000 lbs. Vehicles shall not be loaded to a gross weight exceeding 5,000 lbs., to each inch of width of tires where pneumatic rubber tires are used. Increases over these figures may be obtained only by special permit from the state highway engineers and in no case is he to allow a load over 800 pounds per inch of wheel width.

No vehicle with a gross weight exceeding ten tons shall use the state highways. It is forbidden to drag any load or implements over the high roads. No motor vehicle with solid tires shall exceed 15 miles per hour on the state highways, and one with solid tires and weighing five tons or more shall not exceed 12 miles per hour. For pneumatic rubber tires the limit is not over 30 miles for over three tons and over, and 15 miles for those of five tons and over. No vehicle with trailer having solid tires shall exceed 15 miles, while with trailers having pneumatic tires the regulations are the same as for regular vehicles.

The use of "any two-wheel log cart" is prohibited without a special permit. No vehicle or implement is allowed with total width of over eight feet or a height over 12 feet, or with a length to exceed trailer over 50 feet, unless so allowed by special permit from the department. No wrecked vehicle shall remain on the highway over 24 hours and must be so placed as to allow passage of other vehicles and with a light on at night. No advertisements are to be placed on highways without permission of the commission, and a provision was made that no vehicle shall be allowed to place or allow to drop or fall any glass, tacks, etc., which would injure the feet of animals or pedestrians. Special permission is required to store anything on the right-of-way, or to enter a road which has been closed for any purpose.

Waive notes in 10c books at Clipper office.

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AN ACT To provide and submit to the qualified electors of the State of Alabama, at the next general election, an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, whereby the following municipal corporations, Jasper, Cordova, Dora, Oxford, Talladega, Citronelle, Girard, Albany and Tusculooosa, in the State of Alabama, may levy and collect upon their duly constituted governing authorities a rate of taxation on the property situated therein, not exceeding in the total in any one year one per centum of the value of such property as assessed as provided by the Constitution and statutes now or hereafter enacted pursuant to the Constitution; provided, that the adoption of this amendment shall in no wise affect, limit, modify, abridge or impair the power, authority or right of any said municipal corporation to levy and collect the special school taxes now or hereafter voted in or conferred upon them under the Constitution or any amendment thereto, to which said special school taxes shall be in excess of said one per centum herein provided for. Be it enacted by the Legislature of Alabama:

Section 1. That the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama is hereby proposed to be submitted to the qualified electors of the State of Alabama for their consideration at the next general election, to-wit: The following municipal corporations, Jasper, Cordova, Dora, Oxford, Talladega, Citronelle, Girard, Albany and Tusculooosa, through their respective constituted governing authorities may levy and collect a rate of taxation on the property situated therein, not exceeding in the total in any one year one per centum of the value of such property as assessed as provided by the Constitution and the statutes now or hereafter enacted pursuant to the Constitution; provided, that the adoption of this amendment shall in no wise affect, limit, modify, abridge or impair the power, authority or right of any said municipal corporation to levy and collect the special school taxes now or hereafter voted in or conferred upon them under the Constitution or any amendment thereto, which said special school taxes shall be in excess of said one per centum herein provided for.

Section 2. That it shall be the duty of the Governor to give notice by proclamation, to be published in one newspaper in each county in the State at least eight successive weeks next preceding the day hereby appointed for such election upon the amendment hereby proposed by this act to be submitted to the qualified electors of the State for their consideration together with the proposed amendment.

Section 3. That at said election on the amendment proposed by this act to be submitted to the qualified electors of the State for their consideration, to be held as herein provided, the qualified electors shall vote upon said amendment, and on the official ballots printed for such election there shall be printed the following, viz: "Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama? The following municipal corporations, Jasper, Cordova, Dora, Oxford, Talladega, Citronelle, Girard, Albany and Tusculooosa, through their respective constituted governing authorities may levy and collect a rate of taxation on the property situated therein, not exceeding in the total in any one year one per centum of the value of such property as assessed as provided by the Constitution and the statutes now or hereafter enacted pursuant to the Constitution; provided, that the adoption of this amendment shall in no wise affect, limit, modify, abridge or impair the power, authority or right of any said municipal corporation to levy and collect the special school taxes now or hereafter voted in or conferred upon them under the Constitution or any amendment thereto, which said special school taxes shall be in excess of said one per centum herein provided for." Following the proposed amendment on the ballot shall be printed the word "Yes" and immediately under the word "Yes" shall be printed the word "No." The choice of the elector

Approved November 1, 1921. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this 1st day of August, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-one. THOS. E. KILBY, Governor.

## Nearly \$400,000 Raised In University Campaign

University, Ala., Oct. 17.—Approximately \$400,000 has been raised in the Million Dollar Campaign of the University of Alabama, and the great movement to "Open the Gates of the University" is gaining momentum. More than \$100,000 was subscribed within the State during the week ending Saturday, Oct. 14, and subscriptions of alumni in Atlanta, New York and other cities brought the total to nearly \$400,000 at the end of the first ten days of the general campaign.

It is ordered that the campaign may be brought to a successful conclusion by November 11th, as scheduled, it will be necessary that the present rate of more than \$100,000 a week be accelerated. The total for the coming week is expected to include large amounts from many cities over the State which did not complete their local organizations until recently and have not yet reported their subscriptions to headquarters.

Subscriptions in Birmingham were coming in at a rate of \$10,000 a day during the past week, and a total of more than \$110,000 has been raised in that City. Tuscaloosa has reported \$94,000, Montgomery \$35,000, Gadsden \$3,500, Bessemer \$3,000, Bibb County \$5,000, Baldwin in Greene County \$2,665, Fayette County \$1,000 and Lamar County \$800. The Escambia County committee has personally guaranteed a total of \$10,000.

Students at the University raised \$40,000 during the past week making a total of more than \$65,000 they have now subscribed, exclusive of \$20,000 subscribed by the faculty. The student leaders have announced their intention of raising \$100,000 and indications are that they will get it. Prospects are brighter now than ever before for complete success for the Million Dollar Campaign.

## AUTO COLLISION IS FATAL TO WOMAN

Anniston, Ala., Oct. 16.—Mrs. M. E. Clinger, of Jacksonville, received injuries from which she died a few minutes later, when her car, driven by George P. Ide, collided with another car on the Jacksonville road, opposite Camp McClellan, late Monday afternoon.

Mr. Ide and Mrs. Cherry, of Camp McClellan, who was the only occupant of the other car were unhurt. Both of the cars were wrecked.

We sell 8 big bars of laundry soap for 25 cents. Vaughn & Kehrdick.

Section 4. That the officers to hold such election shall be the same, and shall be appointed in the same manner and by the same officials as provided by the election law of the State for the appointment of officers to hold general elections in the State, and the election shall be held in all things in accordance with the law governing general elections and with the constitutional provision concerning amendments to that instrument.

Section 5. That the votes cast at said election shall be counted, canvassed and tabulated and returned made to the Secretary of State in the same manner as in elections of representatives to the Legislature; and if it shall thereupon appear that a majority of the qualified electors who voted at such election upon the proposed amendment voted in favor of the same, such amendment shall be valid to all intents and purposes as a part of the Constitution of Alabama. The result of such election shall be made known by a proclamation of the Governor.

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## Stands Upon Its Own Merits; Facts That Should Be Known

Questions asked by the men and women who honestly desire further information on the Alabama Seaport Amendment are welcomed by true advocates of State Ownership and Control of the Gateway to Alabama's commerce.

All of these questions can be answered to the satisfaction of reasonable inquirers without deviating from proven facts. The inquirers most frequently heard and the answers thereto are:

Q.—Will port improvements under the amendment cost the taxpayers of Alabama anything?

Ans.—No.

Q.—How will the principal and interest on seaport development securities be met?

Ans.—By charges made for wharfage, storage of freight and for the use of the terminal facilities.

Q.—How do you know these charges will produce sufficient money for the purpose?

Ans.—By the income from the volume of commerce passing over the present wharves and terminals and by the experience of state-owned and controlled seaports such as New Orleans, San Francisco, Boston, Portland, Oregon, Houston, Charleston and others.

Q.—Will the present volume of port commerce be maintained?

Ans.—Yes. It is the experience of seaports that additional facilities increase the volume of a port's business.

Q.—How will handling and storage charges at port terminal be fixed?

Ans.—The state, having control of the seaport, will fix the charges over its own and other terminals, thereby guaranteeing that such charges will always be sufficient to meet the cost of maintenance, interest and sinking fund for retirement of seaport securities.

Q.—Who will decide when and where seaport improvements shall be made?

Ans.—The Legislature, assisted by state-employed port engineers and the State Harbor Commission.

Q.—How will water front property be acquired?

Ans.—From the City of Mobile, or, islands owned by the state or from private owners, under condemnation proceedings, if necessary.

The Seaport Amendment will be No. 1 on the official ballots used at the November election.

Call at or write to Alabama Seaport Committee, State Headquarters, Mezzanine Floor, Jefferson County Bank Building, Birmingham, or Seaport Committee, chamber of Commerce, Mobile, Ala., for information desired on the Seaport Amendment.

SYDNEY J. BOWIE, H. K. MILNER, Chairmen, Birmingham, Ala.

Section 2. That it shall be the duty of the Governor to give notice by proclamation, to be published in one newspaper in each county in the State at least eight successive weeks next preceding the day hereby appointed for such election upon the amendment hereby proposed by this act to be submitted to the qualified electors of the State for their consideration together with the proposed amendment.

Section 3. That at said election on the amendment proposed by this act to be submitted to the qualified electors of the State for their consideration, to be held as herein provided, the qualified electors shall vote upon said amendment, and on the official ballots printed for such election there shall be printed the following, viz: "Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama? The following municipal corporations, Jasper, Cordova, Dora, Oxford, Talladega, Citronelle, Girard, Albany and Tusculooosa, through their respective constituted governing authorities may levy and collect a rate of taxation on the property situated therein, not exceeding in the total in any one year one per centum of the value of such property as assessed as provided by the Constitution and the statutes now or hereafter enacted pursuant to the Constitution; provided, that the adoption of this amendment shall in no wise affect, limit, modify, abridge or impair the power, authority or right of any said municipal corporation to levy and collect the special school taxes now or hereafter voted in or conferred upon them under the Constitution or any amendment thereto, which said special school taxes shall be in excess of said one per centum herein provided for." Following the proposed amendment on the ballot shall be printed the word "Yes" and immediately under the word "Yes" shall be printed the word "No." The choice of the elector

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Section 4. That the officers to hold such election shall be the same, and shall be appointed in the same manner and by the same officials as provided by the election law of the State for the appointment of officers to hold general elections in the State, and the election shall be held in all things in accordance with the law governing general elections and with the constitutional provision concerning amendments to that instrument.

Section 5. That the votes cast at said election shall be counted, canvassed and tabulated and returned made to the Secretary of State in the same manner as in elections of representatives to the Legislature; and if it shall thereupon appear that a majority of the qualified electors who voted at such election upon the proposed amendment voted in favor of the same, such amendment shall be valid to all intents and purposes as a part of the Constitution of Alabama. The result of such election shall be made known by a proclamation of the Governor.

Approved November 1, 1921. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this 1st day of August, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-one. THOS. E. KILBY, Governor.

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## Southeast Alabama Fair

6 BIG DAYS Dothan, Ala. 6 BIG DAYS Oct. 30 to Nov. 4 NIGHTS

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### BIG HORSE RACES

Lovers of fine horsemanship and fast racing will have a picnic at the fair this year. Admirers of thoroughbreds are going on a week's joy spree. Red blooded citizens will give vent to rapture as the sweat-flecked stars of turfdom shoot down the home stretch at break neck speed.

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See the pedigreed pullets "strut" at the Fowl Ball. Feathered aristocrats of the poultry yard will vie for honors in the biggest showing of chickens ever given in Alabama. Breeds never before shown in the state.

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### REMEMBER

the dates, be here the first day—every day—there will be something doing every minute both day and night. You can't afford to miss this fair this year.

### S. E. Alabama Fair Association

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### PARK YOUR CAR

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### Advises Early Selection Of Sweet Potato Seed

Along with the field selection of other seed, it is well to select sweet potato seed for seed. By doing so yields in future years can be increased and the spread of diseases greatly reduced or perhaps eliminated. T. G. Briggs, Sweet Potato Specialist for the Extension Service, is authority for these statements, together with instructions as to how to field select sweet potatoes for seed. In the first place they should be dug before frost or continued cold weather. Seed should be selected from hills producing at least 5 marketable potatoes, and preferably hills produced by vine cuttings. Potatoes from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 inches in diameter and from 4 to 10 inches in length are preferred for seed. Large potatoes are good for seed, but make few draws or slips to the bushel. Potatoes undesirable for any reason should be discarded, and special care should be exercised to see that none are selected from diseased vines. Seed potatoes should be handled carefully and stored in a curing house in small baskets, boxes, or crates where they can be reached without disturbing the entire potatoes.

### Baptists Are Holding Many Associations

The state workers of the Alabama Baptist Convention report seventeen meetings of the Baptist district associations last week in various parts of the state and ten others are meeting this week. It is reported that the associations are largely attended and everywhere the organization for the Supplemental Campaign is being perfected. Baptist pastors in the state are requested to speak on stewardship sometime during October and their churches are organizing in the hope of reaching all members who have made no pledge to their 75,000,000 Campaign. In many associations central meetings are being called, four minute speakers are proposing

### Two Million Christians Slaughtered By The Turks Since 1914

Manchester, England, Oct. 14.—In a political speech of the supreme importance, in which he claimed that the British Near East policy has prevented another world war, Premier Lloyd George today strongly indicated that he is prepared to resign. He made the startling revelation that two million Armenians and Greek Christians have been slaughtered by the Turks since 1914. The speech was made before the Manchester Reform Club. There is majesty in simplicity which is far above the power of wit.

### DISTRICT S. S. CONVENTION

There will be a district Sunday School Convention at Chestnut Grove on Oct. 29th, 1922, beginning at 2 o'clock sharp. Every body is invited to attend, especially the workers and members of district No. 2 of Coffee County. Several good speakers are expected. Elva Tillman, Dis. Pres.

### Postoffice At Louisville Dynamited; Get \$2,500

Louisville, Ala., Oct. 16.—The safe in the postoffice here was dynamited and a registered package containing \$2,500 stolen Sunday night. A small amount of money was also stolen. The registered package belonged to the Barbour County Bank and was insured for \$2,500. It was attracted by the noise of the exploding dynamite, but it was not possible to obtain a clue as to the dynamiter. It is believed the case was not a mob. Miss Vinson is post mistress. Fewer people would have to grind if they had to furnish the motive power to revolve the grindstone.

### JACKSONVILLE MAN DEAD FROM ASPHYXIA

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 16.—Charles Shaw, owner of a pier and a jewelry store here, was found dead from asphyxiation today. It is believed that financial troubles was the cause of his suicide. Shaw's partner discovered his body in the rear of his store.

## KEEPS CONTROL OF HARBOR IN HANDS OF THE PEOPLE

Seaport Amendment Vests Legislature With Sole Power to Issue Bonds and Regulate Building of Port Terminals.

Amendment No. 1 to be voted on at the November election, enables the people of Alabama to develop their own and only seaport into an efficient agency of commerce, this power now being denied them, it through the action of their legislature and their governor they see fit to do so. It confers no power on the State Harbor Commission to issue bonds or incur debts, its adoption carries no mandate, no power to order bonds issued or sold, but permits to do so.

The Amendment fixes the maximum limit of bonds that may be issued at \$10,000,000. These will not all be issued at one time, but only as needed. The Port Terminals will be built in units and as each unit is completed and put into operation it will begin earning revenues and be self-sustaining.

The Amendment stipulates that the improvements so made shall always be and remain under the management and control of the State. The state will make regulations and fix fees for their use. It will make the fees advance to meet all expenses and pay the costs of construction. The revenue so built will be owned and operated by the State in the interest of all the people of the State. They will be the property of the people of Alabama, and their earnings will be the people's earnings. Uninterrupted and equal interchange of freight between the docks, piers, wharves, warehouses and grain elevators and ships is essential to the commerce of the state, and the more the growth of a port, conflicting interests and obstructions must be avoided and, if existing, eliminated.

To secure uniformity of charges and prompt deliveries of freight, removal of all discriminations, single ownership of harbor facilities is necessary and this can be effected only through the public owning them. Port dues shows this to be true, and it further shows that cost to ships and shippers is materially less at ports where terminal facilities are owned by the public than where they are owned by private interests.

Other State Own Terminals. Public ownership of port facilities is the established policy in practically every seacoast State. It has been the policy in most of the other maritime nations. In Massachusetts, New York, New Jersey, Louisiana, Texas, South Carolina and Florida, harbor facilities are being improved by the public. The public owns part or all of the harbor facilities. In Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Florida, harbor facilities are being improved by the public at Norfolk, Wilmington, Charleston, Jacksonville and Tampa. In Georgia, a campaign is now in progress to authorize the issuance of \$15,000,000 of bonds backed by the State's credit, to improve the harbor facilities. Will Alabamians let it be said that they are the only people in America who are afraid to trust themselves?

Alabama will be falling in line with her sister States. If she fails to adopt it, she will be out of step with the balance of the country and must necessarily fall behind in the progressive march of commerce and industry. The Amendment specifies that improvements by the State may be made only under appropriate laws passed by the Legislature. The Legislature, therefore, has the power, and assuredly will exercise it, to erect the necessary safeguard to promote the interest of the people.

## Barracks at Auburn Destroyed by Fire

Auburn, Ala., Oct. 14.—Auburn barracks, being used as a dormitory for students at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, were destroyed by fire early Saturday morning. All students in the building made their escape but the building was complete loss. Within ten minutes after the fire was discovered the entire structure of the tremendous building was a mass of flames. The fire spread so rapidly that it cut off means of escape for a large number of boys who were rooming in the second story and many of them were forced to jump from the second story window. Everyone is believed to have gotten out. The fire is said to have originated in the kitchen as it was first discovered by those rooming directly over it.

The alarm spread rapidly and the entire student body was at the fire within a few minutes after it had been discovered. They could do nothing to help as the fire had gained too great a headway but they worked like Trojans to prevent it from catching other buildings that were very near. On account of the rapidness in which the fire covered the building the students were forced to run for their lives and very little of anything was saved. With every house in Auburn crowded to capacity and a 150 homeless students roaming the streets the condition is a very serious one. The college authorities are doing everything possible for those who are so unfortunate and the situation will no doubt be relieved shortly.



## Hon. H. T. Hartwell

WILL SPEAK AT THE COURTHOUSE

Friday, October 20

10 O'CLOCK, A.M., IN BEHALF OF THE

## Seaport Amendment

Mr. Hartwell is well informed on all matters pertaining to the subject, and will be able to answer all questions which will be asked him.

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## Tax Notice.

TAX COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S APPOINTMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1922.

Pursuant to the laws as found in Act approved March 15, 1910, page 2530, Acts, 1909-1, we will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes for the County of Coffee and State of Alabama, to-wit:

**FIRST ROUND.**  
VICTORIA—Wednesday, October 11th 1922.  
ENTERPRISE—Four days beginning Wednesday, October 25th and ending the following Saturday.

**SECOND ROUND.**  
VICTORIA—Tuesday November 7th, 1922.  
ENTERPRISE—Four days beginning Wednesday, November 15th and ending the following Saturday.

**THIRD ROUND.**  
VICTORIA—Tuesday, December 5th, 1922.  
ENTERPRISE—Four days beginning Wednesday, December 13th, and ending the following Saturday.

On all other legal business days from October the 1st to December 31st, we will be at offices in the Court House at Elba for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes.

**TAXES FALL DUE OCTOBER 1ST**—and become delinquent after December 31st, after which interests and costs accrue.

Poll taxes may be paid by those who so desire between October 1st and February 1st.  
Property should be listed for assessment between October 1st and January 1st after which date costs accrue. Come yourself to list your property for assessment unless tax payer is a woman or disabled.

Tax payers are urged to meet as early as practicable, for paying taxes and assessing taxes.

D. C. MARLEY, Tax Assessor.  
JACK D. LEE, Tax Collector.

## Three Negroes Killed When Train Hits Car

Montgomery, Oct. 16.—Passengers on Louisville and Nashville train No. 1, southbound Sunday, who included a delegation of Ohio World War Veterans en route to the American Legion convention in New Orleans, and W. L. Mapother, president of the railroad, who was traveling in his private car, were shocked by a ghastly scene near Verbena when the train crashed into an automobile occupied by three negroes, instantly killing all of them and totally demolishing the machine.

Bob Clark and his wife, Marie Clark, of Verbena, and J. S. Addins, a negro preacher living at Clanton, were the negroes who lost their lives in the accident. Earlier in the day the negro whose name was reported as Archie Talbot was found along the tracks not far from the crossing where the three autoists were killed. It was presumed that Talbot was struck by the train on the fast Louisville and Nashville train, on its trip north, according to reports reaching Montgomery.

The crossing where the automobile was struck by southbound passenger train No. 1 is located about a mile north of Verbena station. The terrific crash violently tore the three negroes from their seats, shattered the machine into fragments and scattered the wreckage pell-mell along the track for some distance. According to reports, the automobile was directly on the track when it was hit by the heavy train.

Reports of the accident spread rapidly among the many passengers and a large number of them temporarily abandoned the train to view the gruesome scene. The body of Archie Talbot, the negro woman, was lodged on the front of the engine, passengers who came to Montgomery on the train said. The bodies of the two negro men were thrown clear of the train and were found along the side of the track.

Delay of nearly an hour was caused by the accident. Parts of the demolished auto became jammed about the front of the engine and it was necessary to use strong iron bars to remove them. The three bodies were placed on board the train and removed to Verbena. The body of Addins was later taken to his home at Clanton.

Reports brought to Montgomery were to the effect that an approaching train is in view for some distance from the crossing. It is presumed the engine of the automobile chocked down on the crossing.

## 300 Pound Black Bear Killed Near Milton, Fla.

We have on display in the Gazette office window the foot of a large black bear that was killed Sunday afternoon near the Jernigan Mill 14 miles from Milton. While the people of that particular neighborhood are not necessarily given to hunting on Sunday, when Bruin challenges them as this one did, he will doubtless find them ready to accept the challenge. It appears that Mr. and Mrs. Brock were out walking Sunday afternoon, when they suddenly came upon this large black bear. In last time that it takes to write it, the alarm was sounded and some dozen men were in pursuit of the visitor.

After a chase of about twenty minutes he came within range, Gasque Jernigan, who killed him with one or more shots. The bear weighed 275 pounds, and is one of the largest that has been killed in this section in several years.—Milton Gazette.

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## Mistrial At Greenville In Crenshaw Case

Greenville, Ala., Oct. 14.—The case of the State of Alabama against Jake Crenshaw, negro charged with the killing of Mrs. Foster Gafford, a respected and esteemed citizen, was tried here Saturday morning.

It was reported that the jury stood ten for the first degree and two for a penitentiary sentence for life.

This is the third time Crenshaw has been tried on the charge of murdering Mrs. Gafford in her home about two years ago on a Sunday afternoon. Both the other juries found the defendant guilty of murder in the first degree and the sentence of death by hanging was imposed by the court. The Supreme Court, on appeals each time granted new trials to the negro.

The jury reported Saturday morning to Judge A. E. Gamble, of the Circuit Court, that there was no hope of an agreement and the twelve jurors were discharged, the court declaring a mistrial and this notation was entered on the docket by the clerk. It was said that the jury continued deadlocked since five o'clock Thursday afternoon and that there was practically no change during all the long waiting and balloting of the jurors.

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## Officers Are Appointed For November Election

State of Alabama,  
Coffee County.  
We, S. N. Rowe, Judge of Probate, S. H. Brock, Clerk, and J. D. Stewart, Sheriff, of Coffee County, Alabama, constituting the Board to appoint Managers, Clerks and Returning Officers to hold elections in said County, to be held on November 7th, 1922, do hereby appoint the following named persons as Inspectors, Clerks, and Returning Officers to hold said election as follows, to-wit:

**BEAT 1.**  
G. W. Clark, J. I. Pierce, T. J. Perry, Managers; J. A. Page, and John H. Moody, Clerks; Bill Nobles, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 2.**  
Miles S. Rhodes, J. L. Foley, John Grimes, Managers; Lee Page and J. M. Stokes, Clerks; Thomas Brooks, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 3.**  
Giles Ham, John Marler, Zack Hudson, Managers; Jim Bowers and R. E. Lee, Clerks; Joe Moore, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 4.**  
William Prescott, J. E. Mack, J. M. Leverett, Managers; Jack Marler and R. T. Jacobs, Clerks; J. O. Cook, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 5.**  
Joe Dyess, Sandy King, C. W. Grant, Managers; R. O. Sawyer and John Bowdin, Clerks; J. D. Thames, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 6—BOX 1.**  
E. D. Rowe, W. J. Hutchison, E. A. Talbot, Managers; Wiley English and Will Kendrick, Clerks; Frank Bullard, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 6—BOX 2.**  
M. V. B. Farris, W. B. Perdue, Ed Lee, Managers; Claud Smith and Lester Pearce, Clerks; Dan Perker, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 7—BOX 1.**  
Dan Childs, B. L. Andrews, Pearce Bowden, Managers; Charlie Marsh, W. M. Robertson, Clerks; Tom Grimes, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 7—BOX 2.**  
J. C. Armor, J. D. Addison, Julian Gannon, Managers; A. H. Barnes, C. B. Brown, Clerks; Sim Bowden, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 8—BOX 1.**  
Pew Weeks, W. T. Hartzog, Jack Moates, Managers; J. L. Wall, Will Baggett, Clerks; Jas. H. Palmer, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 8—BOX 2.**  
J. J. Cordell, C. B. Bell, John Adams, Managers; V. Wright M. Griffin, Von Moates, Clerks; J. M. Yelverton, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 9—BOX 1.**  
E. L. Warren, Heron Caylor, W. M. Hines, Managers; W. N. Gunter, Will Cordell, Clerks; Jim Baxley, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 9—BOX 2.**  
D. H. Harper, Jim Helms, P. H. Harrington, Managers; Tom Brock and Will Ward, Clerks; Sude Roberts, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 10—BOX 1.**  
Jim Hudson, Julian Jackson, G. W. Bragg, Managers; J. N. Fowler and Melrid Stroud, Clerks; G. W. Pinecard, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 10—BOX 2.**  
Jesse Dismuke, Amos Chaney, Cyrus Rodgers, Managers; A. J. Clowers, Lucio Tillman, Clerks; O. E. Dyess, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 11.**  
Joe Fuller, Ruff Strickland, Charlie Prestwood, Managers; N. H. Lambert, J. T. Egerton, Clerks; E. M. Strickland, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 12.**  
Walter Batchelor, Mace Kysar, W. E. DuBoise, Managers; Will Tindol and P. A. Hardwick, Clerks; T. J. Moseley, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 13.**  
J. D. Heath, Jim Crumpler, J. T. Dunaway, Managers; B.

## Baptist Revival Closes; Many New Members

The revival meeting of the Elba Baptist Church came to a close on Sunday night, when forty-two new members were baptized by the pastor.

The revival which lasted for two weeks is said by many to be the most successful in the history of the Church. The sermons of the pastor, Rev. Chas. H. Germon, were greatly enjoyed by the largest congregations who attended every service. Rev. Germon is a forceful speaker and his discourses were timely and well received. Another important feature of the services was the splendid singing of Rev. O. W. Moran, of Troy. He had charge of the song service and showed great ability in leading the choir and congregation in the singing.

It is felt that the entire community as well as the Baptist Church has been greatly benefited by the meeting.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Meeting now at School House Auditorium. Sunday School and communion service every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

Come and be with us. Every member not only a member but a worker. We want you. We need you. Congregational singing. Come and bring your children with you. You can help us, we can help you.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. J. F. Pharr, Pastor. Preaching every fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. P. A. Symonds, supt.

You are cordially invited to attend all services.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Preaching at 11:00, A. M. and 7:30, P. M. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Chas. L. Rowe, Supt.

**SINGING AT CHESTNUT GROVE**  
The people of this community met for the purpose of singing praises to our great redeemer.

House was called to order by the vice chairman, Miss Elva Tillman, singing a song while the committee reported the following lesson, each singing two songs each, 1st, Lemo Helms, 2nd, Minnie Claude Rodgers, and Cesta Clower, 3rd, Innis Chaney, 4th, Naham Griel Tillman, Willie Mae Rodgers, organist.

The committee then decided to dismiss the singing until next spring. We sung no 239 and was dismissed by Mr. J. W. Dismuke.

**BEAT 18.**  
J. L. Coon, Jim Hatway, Frank Helms, Managers; J. N. Russell and Frank T. Rhodes, Clerks; H. T. Holley, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 19.**  
Giles Bryan, Mack Clark, J. Kendrick, Managers; Claude Bailey and A. A. Williams, Clerks; T. V. Carpenter, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 20.**  
Frank Collier, W. J. Parker, W. L. Cain, Managers; W. N. Farris, W. M. Moody, Clerks; Anderson Moore, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 21.**  
L. E. Barker, C. L. Rowe, Sandy Green, Managers; J. E. Plant and L. H. Deal, Clerks; T. J. Plant, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 22.**  
J. W. Wise, Jesse White, C. N. Kendrick, Managers; G. W. Ammons, N. E. Brown, Clerks; O. M. Daniels, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 23.**  
I. A. Wilks, P. D. Wise, Ike Phillips, Managers; George Leverett and John McGill, Clerks; W. L. Weatherford, Returning Officer.

Just before the pastor started on his discourse for the evening, the white robed figures entered the door and marched down the aisle. A letter, which is said to have contained a liberal donation was left with the minister, during the service the letter signed by the Ku Klux Klan of Elba, was read to the congregation. It was a splendid letter of endorsement of the pastor's work here, and pledged the support of the Klansmen to his efforts.

This 24th day of October, S. N. ROWE, Judge of Probate, S. H. BROCK, Clerk, J. D. STEWART, Sheriff.

Mr. D. J. Stephens, of New Brockton was here Tuesday.

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## With Elba Churches

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Preaching 11:00, a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Chas. H. Germon, Pastor.  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Grover C. Bowden, Supt.

The pastors subject at the morning service will be, "The Relationship That Should Exist Between The Church and New Converts."

All new members who came in during the revival, both by baptism and by letter, are requested to be present as the Church desires to extend the right hand of fellowship to all new members.

The Lords Supper will be observed at the evening service. The public is invited to attend all our services.

The Home Like Church Where You Are A Stranger But Once.

Meeting now at School House Auditorium. Sunday School and communion service every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

Come and be with us. Every member not only a member but a worker. We want you. We need you. Congregational singing. Come and bring your children with you. You can help us, we can help you.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. J. F. Pharr, Pastor. Preaching every fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. P. A. Symonds, supt.

You are cordially invited to attend all services.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Preaching at 11:00, A. M. and 7:30, P. M. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Chas. L. Rowe, Supt.

**SINGING AT CHESTNUT GROVE**  
The people of this community met for the purpose of singing praises to our great redeemer.

House was called to order by the vice chairman, Miss Elva Tillman, singing a song while the committee reported the following lesson, each singing two songs each, 1st, Lemo Helms, 2nd, Minnie Claude Rodgers, and Cesta Clower, 3rd, Innis Chaney, 4th, Naham Griel Tillman, Willie Mae Rodgers, organist.

The committee then decided to dismiss the singing until next spring. We sung no 239 and was dismissed by Mr. J. W. Dismuke.

**BEAT 18.**  
J. L. Coon, Jim Hatway, Frank Helms, Managers; J. N. Russell and Frank T. Rhodes, Clerks; H. T. Holley, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 19.**  
Giles Bryan, Mack Clark, J. Kendrick, Managers; Claude Bailey and A. A. Williams, Clerks; T. V. Carpenter, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 20.**  
Frank Collier, W. J. Parker, W. L. Cain, Managers; W. N. Farris, W. M. Moody, Clerks; Anderson Moore, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 21.**  
L. E. Barker, C. L. Rowe, Sandy Green, Managers; J. E. Plant and L. H. Deal, Clerks; T. J. Plant, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 22.**  
J. W. Wise, Jesse White, C. N. Kendrick, Managers; G. W. Ammons, N. E. Brown, Clerks; O. M. Daniels, Returning Officer.

**BEAT 23.**  
I. A. Wilks, P. D. Wise, Ike Phillips, Managers; George Leverett and John McGill, Clerks; W. L. Weatherford, Returning Officer.

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This 24th day of October, S. N. ROWE, Judge of Probate, S. H. BROCK, Clerk, J. D. STEWART, Sheriff.

Mr. D. J. Stephens, of New Brockton was here Tuesday.

## Good Crowds Attend M. E. Church Services

We were delighted, on last Sunday to see so many at Sunday School and Church. The attendance at Sunday School was the best in many months and a fine congregation stayed for preaching. Men, your presence as well as your prayers is needed, so come again next Sunday and let's make it a great day.

Don't forget our "Home Coming Day," the first Sunday, November the 5th, let's make it a day of real pleasure, for all Dr. O. S. Welch, of Prattville, Ala., will preach the "Home Coming" sermon, and we expect to have with us some other interesting speakers, then of course we will have something to eat at the Church. Let everybody talk about this service so that it may be advertised throughout the country, so that every person who has been, now is, or at any future time should be a member of the Elba Methodist church may know about the "Home Coming Service," and be with us.

Come to Sunday School and church next Sunday and let's make it the best yet, in every way.

**JOHN C. PHARES, Pastor.**

**FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.**  
One Chevrolet car in perfect running condition, equipped with good tires, new carburetor, new coil and platinum; also new set of Lynamite spark plugs, 200 lb cylinder compression. If interested call on J. C. DAVIS, Elba, Ala.

**MUSIC CLUB MEMBERS ARE ENTERTAINED.**  
A beautiful social affair was given at the lovely home of Mrs. F. A. Symonds, Wednesday afternoon, when the old members of the Music Club entertained the new members. The apartments were attractively decorated with the music club colors.

The following program was rendered:  
Piano—Miss Hattie Mae Bozman.  
Vocal Solo—Mrs. S. B. Lee.  
Reading—Mrs. J. W. Kendrick.  
Musical Solo—Miss Annie Laurie Bullard.

A vocal contest completed the program.  
A delicious ice course was served.

**YOUNG LADIES ORGANIZE MISSIONARY SOCIETY.**  
Mrs. Copeland, of Troy, was a visitor at Elba Sunday afternoon, having come down for the purpose of organizing Young Women's Missionary Society at the Methodist Church. There were about twenty present at the meeting, when the society was organized with the following officers:

President—Miss Gussie Rainer.  
Vice-President—Miss Kate Bozman.  
Corresponding Secretary—Sallie Page.  
Recording Secretary—Luna Delle Bryant.

Treasurer—Estelle Bryant.  
Superintendent of Mission and Bible Study—Ruth Phares.  
Superintendent of Publicity—Nedie Page.  
Superintendent of Social Service—Mary Alice Talbot.  
Superintendent of Supplies—Augusta Bell Small.

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**FOR SALE.**  
I have a pair of mules, weighing about 1200 lb each for sale, one 10 and other 11 years old, also new Owensboro 2-horse wagon, 2 1/2 size for sale. If you want to buy see me at once at Elba, Ala., Route 1.

Mrs. J. C. McLeod, of Opp, visited relatives in Elba Friday.

## Has Close Call When Bullet Hits Automobile

Troy Messenger says: Former Representative J. A. Carnley, of Coffee County, now Democratic nominee for Probate Judge of that county, had a narrow escape on Monday night, while enroute home in a car from Troy.

Mr. Carnley was in company with Mr. Ammons, of Elba formerly of Troy. When their car had reached a point below Springhill, a pistol shot rang out, and the occupants of the car heard the whizzing of the bullet through the top of the car, buzzed around a little and dropped in front of the car, its force spent.

Mr. Carnley returned to Troy, secured Sheriff Reeves, who went to the scene.

It was the belief of the Sheriff that some one took a shot at the car in indiscriminate firing, not knowing the occupants of the car.

Investigation led to the arrest of Will Goodson, white, 47 years old, a native of Elba, was found in Goodson's home. The 32-calibre corresponded with the bullet found in the car.

Goodson was released on a \$500.00 bond.

## NEGRO KILLED; WHITE MAN HURT.

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 24.—Lawrence Williams, 42 years old, superintendent of a saw-mill camp, is in a Montgomery hospital suffering from injuries Will Palmore, 23 years old, negro, is dead and his father, Burk 47 years old is in jail here as a result of a difficulty in Elmore county Monday.

Mr. Williams received injuries at the hands of both the negroes. He was wounded when Will Palmore attacked him at the lumber camp. Later the negro's father is alleged to have fired upon him, inflicting minor injuries, whereupon, according to reports, Mr. Williams shot and instantly killed Will Palmore.

Physicians at Hill's infirmary were unable to state the extent of Mr. Williams' injuries Monday night.

**ENTERTAINS SUNSHINE CLUB.**  
Mrs. Hendrix Jeter was hostess at a lovely rock party, Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Willie Michael, when she entertained the Sunshine Club. The living room was made very attractive by the use of cat flowers and ferns here tables were arranged for the games. After the games the hostess served delicious refreshments.

Mr. C. H. Conner moved his family to Andalusia last week.

Miss Elois Ham visited in Opp last week end.

Mr. Oscar Johnson, of Brundidge visited in Elba Sunday.

See us for your fall and winter goods. We will save you money and give you the merchandise you want if you will give us a trial.

Mr. John Daniel Beasley, of Florida was a visitor in Elba Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. W. Rainer, of Troy visited relatives in Elba Sunday.

Don't neglect your eyes. If you have improperly fitted glasses, see Dr. Roth on his visit to Elba next Wednesday.

Mr. Charlie Williamson who recently underwent an operation at the Troy hospital, has returned to his home at Elba. His many friends will be glad that he is recovering.

## Battery "B" Will Have Nice Armory Quarters

Battery B, 114th Ammunition Train, will in the near future have a nice place for its headquarters. A lease has been made of the old stone building across the street from the clipper office, and this building will be put in the condition. Already work has been started on the repairs. The building is being recovered and a nice concrete floor will be put in. The battery will have a conveniently arranged office in the building.

The building is large and will give the battery plenty of room for drills and for taking care of property that will be assigned to it. While it is not definitely known just what will be in the equipment, it has been stated that the Battery will have some motor trucks and perhaps several mules and horses, and quite a number of wagons and other equipment of the car.

Requisition for clothing for members of the outfit has already been made, and to take care of this a movement is on foot by the members of the battery to have individual steel lockers installed in the armory. Regular drills are being held on Tuesday nights of each week, and the officers and members are manifesting considerable interest in the organization.</